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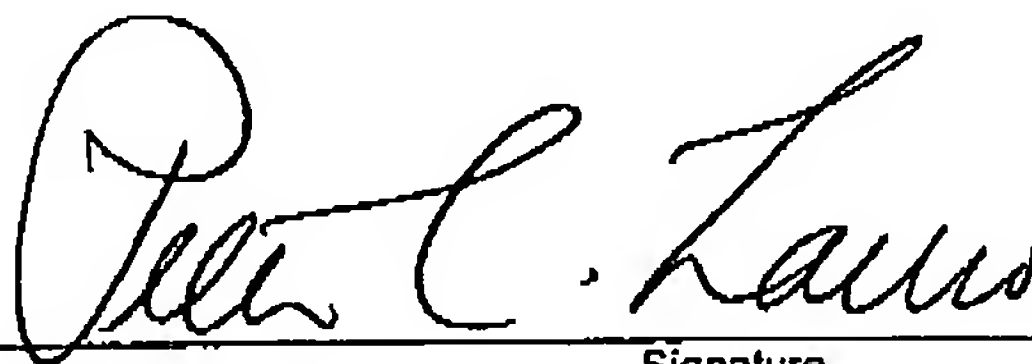
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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2006		Application Number	10/782,397-Conf. #4351
		Filing Date	February 18, 2004
		First Named Inventor	Claude R. Mallet
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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity	
	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims
HP - 20 = x = Fees Paid (\$) Fees Paid (\$)
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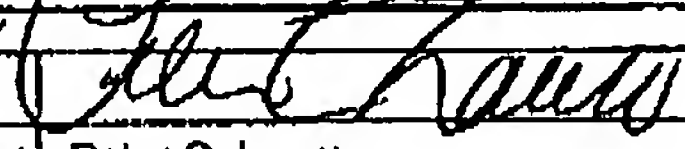
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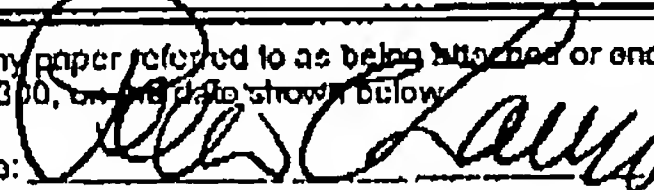
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